

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**In re application of:** Trinkle et al.**Application No.** 10/509,570**Filed:** September 29, 2004**Confirmation No.** 8359**For:** CHITOSAN PRODUCTION**Examiner:** Layla D. Bland**Art Unit:** 1623**Attorney Reference No.** 6682-77985-03**FILED VIA EFS**COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
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No additional fee is required.

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